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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

**Town of Stratford**  
**New Hampshire**

FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
FEBRUARY FIFTEENTH

**1902**

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### SELECTMEN

H. B. HINMAN

W. H. KIMBALL

FRANK S. WHITNEY

### TOWN CLERK

EDWARD B. FULLER

### TOWN TREASURER

WILLIAM R. BROWN

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

W. H. KIMBALL

J. C. HUTCHINS

G. R. MAGOON

### COLLECTOR OF TAXES

J. C. HUTCHINS

### ROAD COMMISSIONER

ABNER D. NORCOTT

### BOARD OF HEALTH

F. W. EVANS

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G. W. JOHNSON

### SUPERVISORS

J. C. HUTCHINS

G. E. TWOHEY

HENRY W. MASON

### MODERATOR

H. B. HINMAN

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of Stratford qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said district on Tuesday, March 11, next, at twelve o'clock noon to act upon the following subjects:

- 1 To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2 To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3 To choose a member of the School Board for three years.
- 4 To choose a treasurer of the School Board for the ensuing year.
- 5 To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise to purchase school books and supplies.
- 6 To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise to repair school houses.
- 7 To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise to paint school houses.
- 8 To see if the district will vote to sell the unoccupied school houses in the "Branch Brown, Bass, and Bog" districts so called.
- 9 To hear the report of auditors, agents, or committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relative thereto.
- 10 To choose agents, auditors, or committees in regard to any of the articles embraced in this warrant.

Given under our hands at Stratford the 22nd day of Feb'y, A. D.  
1902

W. H. KIMBALL	}	School Board
J. C. HUTCHINS		of
G. R. MAGOON		Stratford

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Stratford qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said town on Tuesday, the 11th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

- 1 To choose a town clerk for the ensuing year.
- 2 To choose three selectmen, a town treasurer, one or more highway commissioners and other necessary town officers.
- 3 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairing highways and bridges, for the support of schools, for payment of town debt
- 4 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial day.
- 5 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of books for the town library.
- 6 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to repair town house.
- 7 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for putting in a stone bridge across the brook near John Connary's also across the brook near the Conn. R.R.Co. farm above North Stratford village.
- 8 To see if the town will vote to discontinue the highway leading from Chas. Curtis' to the Rich place.
- 9 To see if the the town will vote to require the Grand Trunk Railway Co to station a flagman at the crossing near their station at North Stratford village.
- 10 To see if the town will vote to require the Maine Central Railway Co. to station a flagman at the crossing in North Stratford village, near their station.
- 11 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to replank the iron bridges across the Connecticut river at North Stratford and Stratford Hollow.
- 12 To hear the reports of officers, auditors, and agents heretofore chosen and pass any vote relative thereto.

Given under our hand and seals this 21st day of February, 1902, at Stratford, N. H.

H. B. HINMAN	} Selectmen of Stratford
W. H. KIMBALL	
F. S. WHITNEY	

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

	No	VALUATION
Polls	264	\$26,400.00
Real Estate	45,503A.	288,973.00
Horses	306	15,555.00
Oxen	14	530.00
Cows	577	12,134.00
Other Neat Stock	187	2,699.00
Sheep	291	862.00
Stock in banks		9,700.00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit		10,600.00
Stock in trade		28,100.00
Aqueducts, mills, and machinery		4,400.00
		<u>\$399,953.00</u>
	2 percent	7999.06

### AMOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED.

State tax	\$ 739.50
County tax	1847.50
Town expenses	400.00
Highways and bridges	1197.36
Support of schools required by law	870.00
Support of Schools more than is required by law	1000.00
To apply on town debt	500.00
Memorial day	35.00
Public Library	100.00
Repair of town house	300.00
School books and supplies	300.00
Repairs on Stratford Hollow school house	200.00
Repairs on other school houses	200.00
Additions	309.70
	<u>\$7999.06</u>



# TREASURER'S REPORT

## RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Feb. 19, 1901	\$ 1175.63
Total receipts during year ending Feb 19, '02	10027.81
	<hr/> \$ 11203.44

## DISBURSEMENTS

Total disbursements for year ending Feb 19	10497.74
Cash on hand Feb 19, 1902	705.70
	<hr/> \$ 11203.44

## DEBT

Assets, Feb 19, 1901	\$ 1465.53
Liabilities, Feb 19, 1901	4650.00
Balance against the town, Feb 19, 1901	\$3184.47
Assets Feb 19, 1902	\$ 811.79
Liabilities Feb 19, 1902	3173.50
Balance against the town Feb 19, 1902	\$2361.71
Decrease of balance during the year	822.76

W. R. Brown, Town Treasurer, in account with the Town of Stratford,

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1901		
Apr 16	Cash of A. D. Norcott Tres	\$1175.63
	W. H. Kimball, bounty from State	30.00
20	Stratford pauper claim	148.53
July 12	J. C. Hutchins, Col	200.00
Sept 3	" "	100.00
30	" "	200.00
	" "	105.00
Nov. 9	" "	300.00
" 12	H. B. Hinman, Stratford Pauper Claim	33.00
" 19	J. C. Hutchins, Col.	200.00
Dec. 6	" "	700.00
" 16	" "	100.00
1902		
Jan. 6	E. B. Fuller, Dog License	59.40
" 2	J. C. Hutchins, Col.	1000.00
" 10	" "	1000.00
" 25	" "	500.00
Feb. 6	Railroad Tax	441.36
"	Saving Bank Tax	516.13
"	Literary Fund	159.12
"	Proportion of School Fund	587.51
Feb. 11	J. C. Hutchins, Col.	500.00

Feb. 11	Chas. Stilson, rent on 1-2 Priest lot for 1901	1.50
„ 13	J. C. Hutchins, Col.	700.00
„ 14	S. P. Connary 1-2 rent on 75 A. School Lot for 1901	2.25
15	J. C. Hutchins, Col	1629.84
	Same, balance his acct	768.22
	Same, 1-2 fine State vs J. C. Nugent	5.00
	A. D. Norcott, error in highway acct	35.95
	W. R. Brown, rent on 50 A school lot for 1901	3.00
	Chas Ockington, poll tax	2.00
		<u>\$11203.44</u>

— W. R. Brown, Town Treasurer, in account with Town of Stratford		Cr
1901	No Order	
Apr 18	Chas Stinson, shoveling snow	2 \$ 3.25
30	F. N. Day, plank furnished 1901	3 29.31
May 7	L. D. Bass, work on highway	6 12.00
9	Edward Dailey, keeping Sweat, a county charge	5 19.00
21	J. C. Hutchins, school order	101 350.00
	Same	141 150.00
29	W. O. Ricker, wood for Newell Blodgett	2.50
June 7	Mrs Frank Valentine, keeping Boucher children	77.24
8	May Press, printing town report	20.00
8	Climax Road Machine Co, for repairs	20.65
19	Wm O. Ricker, work on highway	15.30
19	A. D. Norcott, work on highway	200.00
19	Same	395.00
19	Same, balance \$500 highway order	105.00
Aug 1	Guy W. Johnson, vaccination	2.50
Oct 22	A. L. Wheeler, app for Memorial day	35.00
Nov 11	H. B. Hinman, cash for Mrs Tom Normando, Co charge	15.00
19	J. C. Hutchins, on school order	22 500.00
Dec 10	D. S. Currier, county tax	800.00
19	J. C. Hutchins, on school order	22 500.00
1902		
Jan 11	Same	22 1000.00
13	David Egan, repairs on town house	36.36
13	Dr F. W. Evans, dr John Cross' family	18.00
17	Geo M. Stevens & Son, insurance	3.50
21	John Dickey, work on highway	5.00
24	Erastus Young, order work on highway 1898	6.00
25	D. S. Currier, balance county tax	1062.22
Feb 6	Paid state tax 1901	739.50
11	J. C. Hutchins, balance school order	22 570.00



Feb 14	Drew, Jordan, & Buckley, retainer fees 1901	10.00
14	E. C. Eastman, for books and stationery	14.96
	Dr A. W. Scott, deaths and births	2.00
	Dr E. F. Brown,       "       "	2.10
	Dr C. C. O'Brien   "       "	1.15
	Flora E. Woodward, births	.25
	J. S. Brown, marriages	.25
	J. C. Osgood,       "	.25
	H. F. Quimby       "	.25
	W. F. Ineson       "	.25
	Nehemiah Hoskins, water trough	3.00
	W. R. Brown	.45
	J. H. Vincent, marriages	1.25
	H. W. Brown, labor, highway	7.15
	Geo E. Twohey, supervisor	3.50
	W. C. Carpenter, medicines, Chas Bennett's family, '99	2.10
	Salmon Hoskins, water trough	3.00
	R. C. Barnett, labor, highway, 1900	6.70
	W. R. Brown, goods furnished, repairs on town house	1.25
Feb 15	B. B. Ockington, repairs on lockup	1.00
	A. D. Norcott, labor highway	411.35
	W. R. Brown, services as Town Treasurer	25.00
	J. I. Crown, clearing stone in Piper lot	1.50
	Nehemiah Barnett, crossing land	2.00
	C. J. French, abatement on taxes	10.00
	F. N. Day, services school board, 1900	20.00
	Same, 1901	10.00
	Pattée & Clark, groceries for John Cross	3.30
	Same for A. Paquin	3.19
	Calvin Hapgood, wood for C. Bennett	2.50
	Frank Smith & Co, shingles for town house	39.00
	G. R. Magoon, services school board	20.00
	J. C. Hutchins, medicine for John Cross	1.00
	W. H. Kimball, water trough	3.00
	Same, shingles for town house	5.00
	Same, services school board	10.00
	Same, services selectman	65.00
	F. S. Whitney, services, selectman	35.00
	A. C. Blodgett, sheep killed by dogs	3.50
	Aaron Page, labor on highway	2.00
	Albro Stone       "       "	1.50
	Abel Jordan       "       "	2.56
	J. C. Hutchins, water for fountain	6.00

Feb 15	Same, use of hearse one year	20.00
	Same, services as supervisor	5.00
	Same, school board	25.00
	Same, abatement on taxes, 1901	55.54
	Same, collecting taxes, 1901	59.61
	Fred A. Cross, town house	2.00
	H. B. Hinman, services selectman	100.00
	A. B. Bowker, work on highway	3.00
	D. O. Rowell, water trough	3.00
	Rollin Curtis, work on highway	2.50
	Levi Hoskins, bounty on bear	5.00
	H. J. Johnson, work on highway	24.57
	E. F. Bucknam, marriages	.25
	A. C. Blodgett, water trough	3.00
	F. W. Evans, births and deaths	3.75
	J. C. Pattee, Burial Permits	1.05
	E. B. Fuller, services as town clerk	40.00
	John L. Clark, marriages	.25
	Guy W. Johnson	.25
	H. E. Lennon	1.00
	James H. Little	.25
	J. C. Hutchins, school fund	1262.76
	J. C. Pattee, library trustee	200.00
	Mrs L. F. Crown, interest on town notes	40.00
	Mrs Jennie J. Blodgett	40.00
	John I. Crown	40.00
	Same, two notes, \$500.00 each and interest to date	1037.74
	J. T. Connary, services as supervisor	5.00
	L. D. Bass, work on highway	16.85
	Horace E. Blodgett, work on highway 1900	8.19
	Hiram E. Blodgett, work on highway, 1901	13.15
	Eugene Mason, dog constable	1.50
	J. C. Pattee, serving as auditor	3.00
	J. W. Johnson, services, board health, auditor, surveying	15.00
	Cash on hand	705.70
		<hr/> \$11203.44

This is to certify that we have this day examined the books and accounts of W. R. Brown, Treasurer of the town of Stratford, and find them all properly cast, and vouchers on file

GUY W. JOHNSON,  
JOHN C. PATTEE,

} Auditors  
of  
} Stratford.

Stratford, N. H., Feb. 19, 1902.

# SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS

Schools and school houses	\$3832.76
Highways and bridges	1265.00
State tax	739.50
County tax	1862.22
County poor	148.83
Watering troughs	21.00
Town officers	361.11
School officers	85.00
Libraries	200.00
Vital statistics	15.45
J. I. Crown, notes and interest	1037.78
Interest on three unpaid notes	120.00
Tax abatement	65.54
Memorial day	35.00
Miscellaneous	222.22
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	\$10011.41

## ASSETS

Cash on hand, Feb 19, 1902	705.70
Due from county	9.30
Due Brunswick, Vt	10.00
Due from Maidstone, Vt	70.00
Rent on public land	11.79
Due from state	5.00
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	\$ 811.79

## LIABILITIES

Town orders unpaid	25.50
J. I. Crown, notes	1000.00
L. F. Crown, notes	500.00
E. F. Johnson, Estate of, notes	500.00
J. J. Blodgett, notes	500.00
L. F. Crown and J. J. Blodgett	500.00
N. D. Piper, trust fund	150.00
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	\$ 3173.50



# SCHOOL REPORT

J. C. Hutchins, Treasurer of School Board

## RECEIPTS

Received of J. C. Pattee, town order	\$ 500.00
Same, Cash	52.32
Geo F. King, cash	10.00
Town orders	2570.00
" "	1262.76
Isabel Burbank, tuition.	15.00
Francis Johnson "	20.00
Leon Hutchins	5.00
Leslie Cooper	15.00
Eddie Connelly	10.00
Mattie Beattie	15.00
Georgie Hapgood	2.50
Ida Brooks	10.00
Joseph Davidson	10.00
Arthur Normando	5.00
Eddie Lowe	10.00
Edith Lowe	2.50
Everett Williams	10.00
Wendell Williams	5.00
George B. Sanborn	5.00
Earle Cooper	5.00
Everett Chatman	5.00
Lester House	5.00
Maynard Stevens	5.00
	<hr/> \$4553.08

## DISBURSEMENTS

Paid F. B. Flanders, teaching and board	\$ 195.00
Ina Brown " "	50.00
Chester Chapman " "	96.00
Same, supplies	1.20
Madge Dresser, teaching and board	55.00
Eliza Shoff, cleaning school house	2.00
Eva Whalen, teaching and board	104.00
Mary A. Cotter " "	117.00
Chas Williams, work on closets	2.25
Leslie Cooper, janitor and putting in wood	14.00
Vine Hapgood, cleaning school house	2.00
George Stevens, janitor	4.00
Edith Johnson, teaching and board	55.00
Agnes Maddocks " "	137.50

Howard Brown, janitor	1.50
F. B. Flanders, printing catalogue etc	35.90
Richard Barrows, janitor	1.50
Mrs Wing, cleaning school house	11.00
W. T. James, carrying scholars	7.50
F. J. Taylor               "               "	52.25
Vermont School Seat Co, seats	19.20
A. E. Duff, freight on same	3.15
Nelson J. Boudle, janitor	1.75
E. E. Connary,               "               "	3.75
Alice Burnside, teaching and board	55.00
Eddie Connary, janitor	1.00
Mrs Joseph Davis, cleaning school house	1.00
C. J. French, moving flag pole and repairs	11.75
V. C. Beecher, labor and repairs	68.50
Oval & Koster, supplies	3.75
F. Smith & Co, doors, casing, and lumber	12.03
W. W. Roberts, wood	15.00
Loring, Short, & Harmon	48.88
W. H. Merriam, repairs on Stratford Hollow school house	202.00
Leon Barnett, janitor	3.00
W. L. Hoskins, wood	20.00
L. F. Moore, supplies	3.25
David Stone, carrying scholars	13.50
A. N. Berry, school paper	15.23
W. T. James, carrying scholars	45.00
Alden Wing, grading with team	16.50
Fred N. Day, supplies and janitor	7.70
Hattie M. Stone, teaching and board	90.50
Iva Drew, elocution lessons	3.25
Herman Shoff, janitor	1.00
John Walker, janitor	1.00
Mrs F. B. Barnett, cleaning school house	2.00
Adna Shoff, carrying scholars	36.00
Abbie Stevens, teaching and board	22.00
Grace Johnson               "               "	38.50
Ada M. Stilson,               "               "	132.46
Mary A. Cotter               "               "	154.40
Chester Chapman               "               "	96.00
Madge Dresser               "               "	75.00
Hattie Stone               "               "	141.00
Jennie V. Williamson,               "               "	153.93

Eddie Lowe, janitor	13.50
W. R. Brown, carrying scholars	63.75
F. J. Taylor, carrying scholars, and supplies	79.65
Morse & Smith, supplies	1.65
J. C. Hutchins, wood	50.00
Frost & Adams	14.80
Cupples & Schoenhof, books	21.06
J. T. Belanger, freight and express	17.66
J. C. Hutchins, making report to State Supt	5 00
F. B. Flanders, teaching and board	270.00
Will Leveridge, sawing wood	8.00
Leslie Cooper, janitor	10.00
Interest	22.50
J. C. Hutchins, books and supplies	76.58
Thos. R. Sherwell & Co, books	21.50
Ginn & Co, books	104.38
Boston School Supply Co, supplies	27.80
Rand McNally & Co, globe	2.65
D. C. Heath & Co	47.41
E. W. Baldwin, fertilizer and seeding	6.40
Pattee & Clark, supplies	15.71
Chester Chapman, teaching and board	88.00
David Stone, carrying scholars	22.50
Harry Brown, wood	15.35
S. P. Connary, „	3.00
W. R. Brown, janitor, work, and wood	7.07
W. A. Guptill, wood	13.50
Sarah Dowd, carrying scholars	21.25
Guy W. Johnson, carrying scholars	11.25
W. H. Kimball, supplies	1.75
Richard Barrows, janitor	3.00
James Blodgett „	3.00
F. J. Taylor, supplies	1.15
W. W. Roberts, repairs	7.68
F. B. Barnett, carrying scholars	3.75
R. C. Barnett „ „	14.25
F. B. Flanders, teaching and board	144.00
Mary A. Cotter	80.00
Ada M. Stilson	68.00
Madge Dresser	50.00
Hattie M. Stone	68.00
Jennie V. Williamson	80.00

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# SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Teachers	\$ 2653.50
Repairs	367.08
Carrying scholars	357.15
Text books and supplies	380.94
Wood	129.50
Janitor work, freight, and incidentals	161.16
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	\$ 4049.33

# TABULATION OF EXPENSES

Total number of weeks school	285
Average cost per week	\$12.92
Total number of schools	9
Number of male teachers	2
Number of female teachers	7
Number of boys attending school	140
Number of girls attending school	152
Total number of scholars	292
Average cost per scholar	\$12.60

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. Hutchins, Treasurer of School Board

No Stratford, N. H., Feby 26, 1902

This is to certify that we have this day examined the books and accounts of J. C. Hutchins, Treasurer of the School Board and find them correctly compiled and vouchers on file for all money paid out.

John C. Pattee     )  
D. Edgar Rowell   { Auditors

I hereby certify that the following returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief

Edward B. Fuller, Town Clerk.

# Deaths Registered in the town of Stratford for the year ending December 31, 1901.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Yrs. in Town	Males	Females	Place of Birth	Sex and Condition	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death
Mar 7	Stratford	Blodgett	0	0	0	Stratford	F	Not any	Newell N. Blodgett	Maud J. Young	Stillborn
Apr 22		Sarah Cross	80	4	14		W	Housek'pr	Eliza Blodgett	Susan Hanlan	Apoplexy
Aug 26		Sarah Blodgett	Not known			New York			Not known	Not known	Bright's Disease
Sept 15		Roxie Morancy	17	9	4	Pittsburg	M		Samuel Parker	Mary G. Stone	Septicaemia
Oct 10		Christie	20			Stratford	S	Not any	Robert Christie	Isa Hardy	General Debility
25		Myra F. Curtis	6	5	29				Charles H. Curtis	Ida M. Swift	Mem. Croup
Nov 28		Michael Dowd	53	7	28	St Sylvester Q	M	Hotel kpr	James Dowd	Rose McCabe	Mania a Potu
Dec 17		Wellington Brown	73	8	11	Stratford		Farmer	Isaac Brown	Nancy Gile	Apoplexy
5		Lewis Brown Lyman	37	3	5		S	None	Charles Lyman	Ida M. Brown	Convulsions
Jan 31		Larvard N. Titus	97	11	11	Irisburg Vt		Housewife	Lewis Titus	Mary J. Colly	Fibroid Phthisis
Feb 21	Coos	Eliza Lee	27	7	15	N Brunswick	F		Daniel Valentine	Lucinda Sloan	Pneumonia
Aug 8		Marion E. Bundy	66	5	7	Wolcott Vt	W		Parley Hutchins	Polly Whitney	Endo Carditis
Sept 3		Julia N. Draper	44	3	17	Bowmanville Ca	S	Jeweler	Harvey Draper	Elizabeth Brown	Hefatic Changes
20		Ernest L. Day	27	2	19	Stratford	M	Clerk	Nahum Day	Mary Curtis	Cat Pneumonia
28		Joseph T. Connary	44	10				Farmer	Thomas Connary	Lucinda Stone	Pul Phthisis

# Births Registered in the town of Stratford for the year ending December 31, 1901.

Date of Birth	Name of Child if any	Sex	Living or Stillborn	Number	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Father's Age	Mother's Age
Jan 20		M	L	1	W	Geo E. McMann	Iva M. Curtis	Laborer	Stratford	Stratford	25	19
Feb 9						Lorin Lee	Eliza Valentine		New Brunswick	Montreal, Ca	30	30
Mar 14				5		L. Girard	Agnes Parent	Baggage Mr	St Helene, P. Q.	St Helene, P. Q.	34	28
7		F	S	1		Newel N. Blodgett	Maud J. Young	Laborer	Stratford	Stratford	27	18
23			L			John Cross	Hattie K. Young		Orford		24	18
Apr 13				4		Mike Corrigan	Ellie Johnson	Overseer RR	Canada	Bloomfield, Vt.	38	31
16				2		Fred Atherton	Annie Doherty	Laborer	Stratford	Groveton	30	26
May 1	Eliza M.	M		5		Fred W. Bresse	Eliza M. Petro	Farmer	Canada	Canada	21	18
June 20				1		Chas Bennett	Dora Hanks	Laborer	Maidstone, Vt.	Stratford	41	29
28				1		Erastus E. Young	Mary J. Sweet	Farmer	Stratford	Columbia	42	23
July 20				5		Chas Bresse	Melina Lecom		Canada	Canada	29	26
Aug 30	Lewis B.	F		1		Chas Lynan	Ida M. Brown	Railroading	Grenada, Kan.	Stratford	39	29
30				2		Arthur G. Stobo	Dora M. Taylor	Laborer	Stratford	Brunswick, Vt.	29	25
11		M		2		Oscar Blodgett	Ella F. Pray	Farmer	Stratford	New Brunswick	35	36
Sept 9		F		1		Fred Moraney	Roxie Parker	Laborer	Groveton	Pittsburg	23	17
10				4		Sammel H. Stone	Margaret M. Hall	Millman	Stratford	Sheffield, Eng.	33	27
12				2		Dan H. Dennis	Lola A. Dresser			So. Paris	42	28
13		M		1		Edwin Bennett	Martha A. Hall	Laborer	Maidstone, Vt.	Sheffield, Eng.	36	30
22		F		1		Robert Christie	Isa Hardy	Blacksmith	Brunswick, Vt.	Stratford	25	17
29				2		Elmore Shoff	Mary Bennett	Laborer	Stratford	Stratford	43	18
Nov 6				3		Joseph Hanson	Mabel A. Stevens	Farmer	Stratford	Stratford	23	22
15		M				Orason J. Blodgett	Izzie B. Blodgett	Laborer	Northumberland	Stratford	35	27
Dec 8		F	S			Irving E. Gould	Ella E. Harriman	Clerk	Colebrook	Clarksville	27	27
15						Russell Blodgett	Emma Blodgett	Laborer	Stratford	Groveton	39	32
24			L			George H. Buck	Cora J. Brownson		Holland, Vt.	Dunham, P. Q.	24	22



# Marrriages Registered in the town of Stratford for the year ending December 31, 1901.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name of groom and Bride	Residence at time of marriage	Age of groom	Age of bride	Color	Occupation of each	Birthplace of each	Names of Parents	Name, Residence, and Official Station of person by whom married
Jan 16	Coos	Michael P. Gallagher	Boston, Mass	41	W	Piano Tuner	Ireland		Hugh Gallagher	2 Rev H. E. Lennou, C P
30	Stratford	Mary E. Callahan	Littleton	26		Honsekeeper			Dennis Callahan	1 Coos
		Edward B. Fuller	Stratford	31		Farmer	Stratford		Wm A. Fuller	1 Rev J. S. Brown, C
		Annie M. Phillips		22		School teacher			Thomas Phillips	1 Coos
Mar 9	Littleton	Marlison S. Blodgett		29		Laborer	Groveton		James Blodgett	1 J. C. Osgood, C
28	Stratford	Gertrude M. Blodgett		25		Farmer	Stratford		Hemphill Blodgett	1 Littleton
		Arthur L. Hapgood		25		Honsekeeper	Colebrook		Chas A. Hapgood	1 John H. Vincent, C
Apr 3		Lucy Willey		16		Laborer	Stratford		Frank Willey	1 Stratford
		(Latece E. Curtis)		18		Honsekeeper			George Curtis	1 Sme
9	Coos	Lucy Hapgood		16		Honsekeeper			Richard Hapgood	1
		Hadley J. Miller		21		Brakeman	Hubbards		Jacob Miller	1 Rev H. E. Lennou, C P
June 8	Stratford	Jennie E. Sheehan	Burlington, Vt	21		Clerk	Burlington		Pat J. Sheehan	1 Coos
		Fred J. Morancy	Groveton	23		Laborer	Groveton		Fred Morancy	1 John H. Vincent, C
12		Roxie M. Parker	Stratford	17		Honsekeeper	Pittsburg		Samuel P. Parker	1 Stratford
		Frank W. Evans	Coos	32		Physician	Sweden, Me		John H. Evans	1 W. F. Ineson, C
27	Coos	Olive L. Baecher		21		School teacher	Barnett, Vt		Victor C. Baecher	1 Colebrook
		Arthur O'Leary	Stratford	21		Coos	Kingston N B		Patrick O'Leary	1 H. E. Lennou, C P
Aug 21	Stratford	Maggie Boyle		25		Honsework	Bloomfield Vt		James Boyle	1 Coos
		Kobert Christie		25		Blacksmith	Liverpool, E		William Christie	1 John H. Vincent, C
Sept 25	Coos	Isa M. Hardy		18		Honsework	Stratford		George H. Hardy	1 Stratford
		Harry Irving	Bloomfield, Vt	22		Laborer	N Brunswick		Edw J. Irving	1 John L. Clark, B M
Oct 5	Groveton	N-Alle M. Bronson		18		Honsework	Newport, Vt		Reuben Bronson	1 Stratford
		A. B. Bailey	Stratford	32		Laborer	Richmond		Andrew Bailey	1 Herbert F. Quimby, M M
5	Bowdoinham	Louisa Silver	Bloomfield, Vt	16		Honsekeeper	Lyndon, Vt		Norris Silver	1 Groveton
22	Stratford	Bertha May Varney	Bowdoinham Me	22		Clerk	Coos		John C. Pattee	1 James H. Little, C
		Harven S. Blodgett	Stratford	24		Honsekeeper	Bowdoinham		Edward D. Varney	1 James H. Little, C
30		Alberta Atherton		31		Laborer	Groveton		James D. Blodgett	1 Edward F. Bucknam, J P
		Win McManu		28		Dressmaker	W Milan		Erastus Atherton	1 Stratford
Nov 20	Coos	Nora Jordan		18		Laborer	Stratford		Charles McManu	1 John H. Vincent, C
		Pat Hurley	Coos	83		Honsework	Abel Jordan		Abel Jordan	1 Stratford
		Mary Boyle	Groveton	26		Lumbering	Wolfstown C		Connelles Hurley	1 H. E. Lennou, C P
						Tablework	Bloomfield Vt		James Boyle	1 North Stratford

# REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

A. D. Norcott, Road Agent for 1901-2, in account with Town of Stratford

1901		
Mar	18	Trip to Stones Mill and Hollow \$ 2.50
Apr	5	W. H. Dennis, snow bill 3.00
	22	Carl Schoff, cleaning out brook .40
	29	Express on machine repairs 4.75
		Trip to Stratford Hollow 2.00
May	6	Clint Schoff, raking stone 1.50
	17	Trip to Colebrook 2.00
	21	Frank Porter, shovelling 1.00
	24	Richard Dale, cleaning out brook April 22 .40
	27	Trip to the Bog 2.00
June	3	Sharpening machine points .40
	7	Will Young, work on highway .30
		W. R. Brown, spike .20
		Fred Taylor, powder .20
		Henry Young, work on highway .75
	10	Darias Young, drawing tile pipe .35
		Freight on tile .25
	11	Sharpening pick .15
	13	Henry Young, work on highway 1.50
		Wm. Stevenson, " " " 1.50
	15	Express on machine repairs 1.30
		W. E. Jones, work on highway 2.00
		Telephone .35
		Telegram .50
		" .53
	18	Express on machine repairs 1.35
	19	" " " " 1.35
		Trip to Stone mill 2.50
		Tile .90
	20	Geo. Hardy, sharpening tools .25
		Mileage to Lancaster .84
	24	Eugene Bresse, repairing Bresse road 27.35
		John M. Connary, snow bill 9.00
		W. R. Brown, Spike, and machine oil .45
	25	Erastus Young, work on highway 2.62
	27	Grover Jordan, " " " 1.35
		Richard Hapgood, logs and work 1.00
	29	H. J. Johnson, snow bill 36.32
	30	Trip to Merrill's mill 2.00
July	8	Trip to Groveton and Stone's mill 3.00
	12	Chas. P. Stinson, work on brook road in spring 35.76
		L. D. Bass, snow bill 16.85
		P. P. Mason, drawing plank and fixing bridge 2.50
		Road machine repairs( Apr 26 June 13 and 20 ) 8.00
		W. E. Stevenson, work on highway 12.37
		Elwin Hapgood, " " " 19.12
		William Stone, " " " 21.37
		David Stone, rendrock and pick handle 1.40
		Henry Young, work on highway 3.75
	15	W. H. Ashe, blacksmith bill 3.50
	22	Jos Bonneau, work on highway 58.50
		Arthur Leven " " 55.50
	26	Geo Hilliard, 6 horses " 181.50
	31	Chas Craggy, work " 72.00
	29	C. D. Platt, 1570 plank 19.62
Aug	12	David Stone, snow bill and work on brook road 21.75
	12	Irvin French, work on highway 78.01
	3	Haven Schoff, 1 day with team 3.00
	7	Sam Ramsy, work on highway 3.00
	8	W. F. Jones " " 6.25
	22	Jos Bonneau " " 7.20
	23	Chas H. Curtis " " 5.00

Sept 14	James Stone, work on highway	1.25
18	William Stone ,, ,,	3.75
24	Elmer Taylor ,, ,,	1.00
28	Arthur Levere ,, ,,	6.50
30	Trip to centre of town	1.50
Oct 19	C. Benneau, plank	1.50
21	Trip to Stone's mill	2.50
24	C. L. Quimby, work on highway	.45
28	Chas Stevens, ,, ,,	2.25
21	Western Lumber Co, rendrock	2.30
Nov 15	Haven Schoff, drawing plank and fixing bridge	1.00
Dec 5	Elmer Taylor, work on highway	2.00
19	Lovi Hoskins, plank	4.31
Jan 2	Chas Mills, work on highway	.75
6	S. P. Connary ,, ,,	.75
6	Dexter French ,, ,,	1.35
Feb 11	W. H. Dennis ,, ,,	6.75
12	C. J. French, repairs on bridge	2.00
	Pattee & Clark, 4 shovels, 2 lbs powder	3.80
	Same, blacksmith bill	5.00
	Frank Dalbec, drawing plank and work on highway	4.50
	Willie Young, work on highway	4.00
	Erastus Young ,, ,,	1.00
	W. E. Stevenson ,, ,,	1.75
	Chas D. Platt, 410 ft plank	5.12
	Pattee & Clark, hauling lumber	1.00
	Trip to E Stratford	2.50
	F. N. Day, lumber	32.15
	David Stone, work on highway	32.54
	A. N. Taylor, 76 ft tile pipe and fixing sewer	8.12
	John Dickey, 1-2 day snow bill	.75
	S. P. Connary, cutting bushes	1.50
	Abel Jordan, snow bill	3.65
	L. D. Bass, work on highway and S B	3.60
	O. J. Blodgett, snow bill	2.00
	William Stone, turning water from road	1.00
	Chas Carter, same	1.00
15	H. B. Hinman, work on highway	28.50
	Henry Joner, fixing bridge	.75
	A. D. Norcott	125.00
	Irvin French, snow bill	2.70
		\$1075.40

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June 17	Cash	\$200.00	
July 11	..	500.00	
		700.00	
	Balance		\$375.40
	Rec'd payment, Feb 15, 1902	A. D. Norcott.	

### Report of Library Trustees

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Cash on hand	.76	Geo H. Colby, books	25.30
Mrs Plant, book burned	.89	Loring, Short & Harmon, books	27.79
Fines	1.68	Freight	.35
Town Order	200.00	Library Hall Association, rent	25.00
		Knights of Pythias, rent	36.00
		Cash on hand	88.89
	\$203.33		\$203.33
	J. C. Pattee	} Library Trustees	
	C. D. Platt		
	F. N. Day		





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